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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of	)	
DROHMANN et al..	)	BOX PC
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International Application	)	
PCT/EP 03/03439	)	
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Filed: Unassigned	)	
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For: USE OF POLYMERS COMPRISING THERMOPLASTIC POLYMERS AS  
FILTER AIDS AND/OR STABILIZERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: